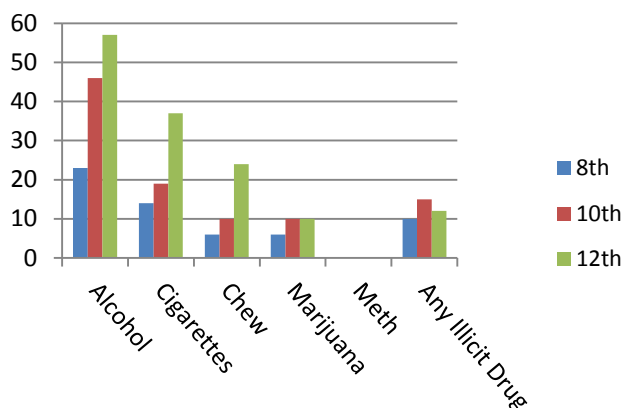


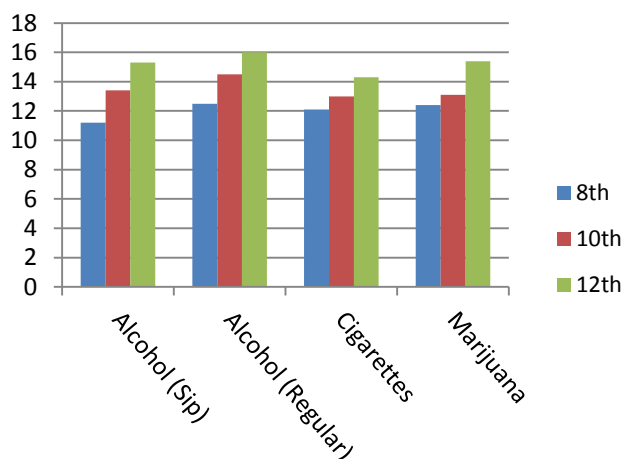
DAWSON COUNTY

The Addictive and Mental Disorders' Chemical Dependency Bureau provides chemical dependency treatment and prevention activities throughout the state based upon the current data available. This is a snapshot of substance abuse in Dawson County.

**Percent of Dawson County youth
who have used the following in 2014 on
ONE OR MORE DAYS
IN THE LAST 30 DAYS...**



**Average age of initiation
for Dawson County youth in 2014**



☞ From July 2013 – June 2014:

- ☞ 60 **adults** and 13 **youth** from Dawson County **received state-approved chemical dependency treatment services.**
- ☞ Of these 73 people, 11 were **women with dependents or pregnant women.**

☞ The **main drugs of choice** for Dawson County are:

<i>Drug</i>	<i># Adults</i>	<i># Kids</i>	<i>% of Total</i>
Alcohol	33	5	48%
Marijuana	13	8	25%
Other Opiates	4	6	12%
Meth	7	1	10%
All Other Illicit Drugs	3	1	5%
			100%

☞ From July 2012 – June 2013 State Block Grant funds paid for 46 hours of **prevention services** for Dawson County.

☞ The following is the **projected need for treatment** of individuals meeting State Block Grant eligibility requirements (200% of poverty) for Dawson County:

<i>Age: 10-17</i>		<i>18-44</i>		<i>44+</i>	
913		923		846	
<i>Alcohol</i>	<i>Drugs</i>	<i>Alcohol</i>	<i>Drugs</i>	<i>Alcohol</i>	<i>Drugs</i>
39	40	473	223	271	56

☞ The percent of Dawson County **youth engaged in binge drinking in the last two weeks**, according to the 2014 PNA, are:

<i>8th Grade</i>	<i>10th Grade</i>	<i>12th Grade</i>
16.2%	30.6%	52.0%

☞ In 2013, Dawson County had:

- ☞ 47 drug/narcotic offenses
- ☞ 76 DUIs
- ☞ 37 liquor law violations